flood stage, and the effects of these waters will be felt in the main river within a short time.

Below Helena the rise will continue steadily, and maximum stages will probably be reached as follows:

Arkansas City, 51 feet; Greenville, 46 feet; Vicksburg, 50 feet.

The Mississippl below Vicksburg and the Atchafalaya will continue to rise for the next three or four weeks, while the Red, below Shreveport, and the Cuachita will continue to rise for several days.

LARGE FORCE GUARD LEVEES NIGHT AND DAY

(By Associated Press.)
NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 11.—The government, State and city authorities Eovernment, State and city authorities are inspecting levee lines and preparing for emergencies. They all admit that the river will likely brenk all records before it quits rising, but the levee system is higher and stronger, and they claim it will withstand the extra strain. Large forces of men are being utilized to strengthen weak places and to guara the banks by night and day. The gauge here to-night reads 18.5, a rise of one-tenth in the past twelve hours.

The high water record is 19.5.

RAINY WEATHER IS SOFTENING THE LEVEES

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 11 .-The river is rising here very slowly. The most unfortunate condition at pres-

The most unfortunate condition at present is the continuance of rainy vorthis is having the effect of softening the leves and all Louisana is praying for a return of sunshine. Six hundred men are at work to-day at various points along the river front, sacking weak points and raising the line of embankment. All the leves boards of the liate are practically in continuous session, and every foot of the leves on the river and on its tributaries is under surveillance.

WILL PUT CONVICTS TO WORK ON LEVEES

(By Associated Press,)
JACKSON, MISS, March 11.—At a special meeting of the Board of Control to cial meeting of the Beard of Control to-day a resolution was adopted ordering all available convicts to be placed at the dis-posal of Yazoo-Mississippi Levee Board. President Cutrer to-day reported that levees are yet three feet above the water level, but the danger is great, as large volumes of water are expected there by Saturday or Sunday. Grave apprehension is felt. Pearl River continues to rise and has spread over the sections adjacent to Jackson, but has done little damage except to delay farm work.

WORKING DESPERATELY TO BUILD NEW LEVEE

CARUTHERSVILLE, MO., March 11. -This city, containing 2,800 inhabitants, is threatened with destruction by the flood. An old levee, which is caving, alone stands between the city and the swollon Mississippi. Government engineers regard it as the most critical flood point along the river. Four hundred men under Engineer Kilpatrick are working desperately at building a new levee.

FARMERS FLEEING FROM HOMES ON THE OHIO

EVANSVILLE, IND., March 11.-The Ohio river reached 424 feet this morning with a further rise predicted. Sev eral shaky boats of the Wabash and Green rivers have been crushed in the flood and loss of life is feared. Farmers about Mount Vernon have fied, taking about Mount Vernon have lied, taking their household goods and live stock. In the White River bottoms as far as the eye can see fields are covered with water, and thousands of acres are inundated. Houses are vacant, the occupants having been forced out by the water. White River is still rising.

NEW ENGLAND STREAMS BECINNING TO RISE

(Br. Associated Press.)
BOSTON, MASS., March 11,-The rivers of Eastern New England are beginning which have prevailed for several days. The Merrimac, the cotton mili river of New Hampshire and Massachusetts, and the Penobscot and Kennebec, in Maine, are rapidly rising and threatening serious damage.

SABINE RIVER CAUSES GREAT LOSS OF CATTLE

(By Associated Press.)
ORANGE, TEXAS, March 11.—Ther was no improvement in the flood situation to-day, though the levees and flood gates which have been constructed render the chance of the town being inundated much

less.

Reports from the upper portion of the Sabine are to the effect that there has been a very heavy loss of cattle on both the Texas and Louisiana shore. The whole ccuntry is under water as the result of the backing up of the small atreams and beauty rates.

HAD GONE TO CONTINENT

Warrant Out for Arrest of President of London and Globe Financial Concern.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, March 11 .- A warrant for the

LONDON, March 11.—A warrant for the arrest of Whituker Wright, director of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, limited, was issued to-day.

Following the Issuance of the order yesterday to official recorder of corporations by Justice Buckley, of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, to criminally prosecute Mr. Wright, a summons for the latter was obtained. When an officer went to his residence to serve it he was informed that Mr. Wright had gone to the continent on account of his health, hence the Issue of the warrant.

VENEZUELAN REVOLUTION

Insurgents Said to Be Getting Upper Hand of Government.

(By Associated Press.)
WILLEMSTADT, ISLAND OF CUR-RACOA, March 11—The Venezuelan revolutionists proclaim they now hold all the eastern ports of Venezuela from the Orinoce down to All Chico.

Heavy fighting has taken place at Cero,

Easy to Take **Easy** to Operate

capital of the State of Falcon. The re-suit is not yet known.

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The revolutionary army, commanded by General Rolando, is said to be at Guaraenas, near Caracas. The recent retreat of the revolutionists it is asserted here, was only a feint. The Venezuelan government forces are reported to have been defeated in the battle recently fought at Tagarigue. at Tacariana.

at Tacarisma.

It is reported in revolutionary circles that the revolutionists have captured Cumana, State of Bermudez,

OBENHEIMER RESIGNS

He Commanded German Cruiser Irene at Time of Capture of Manila.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, March 11.—Emperor William II, has accepted the resignation of five officers of the naval staff, including Cap-

officers of the naval staff, including Captain Obenheimer, who commanded the German cruiser at the time of capture of Manila by the American forces.

Captain Obenheimer's resignation, it is asserted, had nothing to do with the Philippine incident in which the Irene figured. His conduct at that time was justified by the German Navy Department, and, as Prince Henry reported, by Admiral Dewey and also by Prince Henry's report of July, 1898, the full text of which was made public here to-day. It simply reads:

"The Irene brought off a number of Spanish women and children, who had gotten into distress on Isla Grande, in Subig Bay. She sighted there an insurgent steamer, which disappeared at once. Upon her return from Isla Grande the Irene passed two United States cruisers, which did not speak to her."

DEER, BEAR AND GAME TAKING TO HIGHLANDS

NATCHEZ, MISS., March 11.—A report reached here to-day that the Texas and Pacific Rallway embankment at Bo-

port reached here to-day that the lexist and Pacific Railway embankment at Bogree, in lower Cordia parish, about thirty-five miles south of Vadalia, had broken, but Sheriff Gillespie, of that parish, could not verify the statement.

This embankment is 15 feet high, or 8 feet higher than the high-water stage of 1897, and is a new levee. To appreciate the force that would be necessary to break this levee, it is stated that the average base of a 15-foot leves is 100 feet through. Officers on the mail steamer Betsy Ann are authority for the statement that frame buildings in the low-lands have been washed away. Residences have been torn from their foundations, and some have been caught and held by the trees. The owners and occupants were glad to escape with their lives. Deer, bears and other animals have been driven to high lands and are being slaughtered in large numbers.

in large numbers.

The weather is threatening. The river gauge is 46.8, being 2.5 above the danger ine, and rising.

Major Randolph Worse

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Major N. V. Randolph was worse yesterday than he has been for a long time. He had considerably improved and was able to sit up most of the day, and delighted to have his friends come and talk with him, but yesterday his condition was so far from being improved that Mrs. Randolph did not leave him. He has been sicker than he is now, and hopes are strong that he may soon be out of danger.

Have an Irish Tea. Have an Irish Tea.

The ladies of the Park Place Methodist Episcopal Church have made arrafgements to give what promised to be a delightful 'Irish tea.' to-morrow evening at the residence of Mrs. Blanton, No. 1006 Floyd Avenue, beginning at 8 o'clock. An excellent programme has been prepared, and following this refreshments will be served. The cause is a good one and all are invited to come and help it along.

Postoffice Robbed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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BEDFORD CITY, VA., March 11.—An unknown party broke into the posteffice at Goode some time last night and made off with between \$50 and \$60 in money, some stamps and a suit of clolles belonging to the postmaster. The postoffice is located in the store of Mr. John Bower, The particulars are meagre, and it is not known whether there is any clue. Postmaster Bower telegraphed the new this morning to Assistant Postmaster J. R. Gay, Jr., of the Bedford City office, but did not give any details.

ice Officers Elected,

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., March 11.—The North
Carolina Ice Association met here tonight and elected the following officers
for the ensuing year: President, E. R.
Cooper, Edenton, to succeed W. E. Worth,
at Wilmington; vice-president, M. W.
Thompson, Greenshore, to succeed A. J.
Haygood, Charlotte; secretary and treasurer, William Dunn, Newbern, Advisory
Committee—J. W. Hines, Jooky Mount;
J. F. Harrison, Fayetteville; R. H.
Wright, Durham,
There was a general discussion of matters regarding business for the coming
season, but nothing was made public.

TWO FAVORITE AT NEW ORLEANS

Marion Lynch and Thane Were Successful Ones at Crescent City.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW ORLEANS, LA., March II.—Marion Lynch and Thane were the winning

First race-selling, mile-Marion Lynch (8 to 5) first, Peter Duryea (16 to 5) second, Brown (25 to 1) third. Time, 1:53. Second race—seven furlongs—Potentate (5 to 1) first, Mrs. Frank Foster (7 to 10) second, Hunressa (25 to 1) third, Time,

1:35.
Third race—five furlongs.—Redan (4 to 1) first. Censor (10 to 1) second, Whiskey King (5 to 1) third. Time, 1:06 1-5.
Fourth race—handleap, mile and twenty yards—Thane (2 to 5) first. Stratton II. (6 to 1) second. Jessie Jarboe (8 to 1) third. Time, 1:53.
Fifth race—selling, mile—Malster (3 to 1) first, Moderator (5 to 2) second, Albert Lee (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:52.
Sixth race—mile and a sixteenth—Bondage (5 to 2) first, Dodle S. (12 to 1) second, Banish (6 to 5) third. Time 2:31.

MANY APPLY; FEW CHOSEN

Vacant Chaplaincy in Navy and 450 Applicants.

FOR THE POSTOFFICE SITE

It is Available as Soon as Court Here Enters the Order-Cuban Treaty Likely to Fall of Ratification.

Thomas Monument.

No. 1417 G Street, N. W.

Washington, D. C., March 11. It will be surprising to many Virginia Democrats to know that both Senator Daniel and Senator Martin are daily receiving letters from constituents asking for places under the government. It has never been an easy matter for a Democrat to get an office from a Republican administration, but in these days, when all except the very highest and the very lowest offices are under civil service regulations, it is so nearly an impossibility the janitor in a public building has to stand a pretty stiff examination before stand a prestry stiff oxamination before he can be appointed. All applicants for positions who stand a civil service exam-ination are put on the eligible list in the order of their rating. As vacancies occur, appointments are made from this

list, beginning always at the top, Senator Martin a day or two ago re-ceived a letter from a Virginia minister asking him to aid him in obtaining an asking him to aid him in obtaining him to aid him in obtaining him appointment to the navy as chaplain. The Senator's secretary took up the matter and discovered that there was just one single vacant chaplainey in the navy, and that for this there were just exactly four hundred and fifty applicants. The President makes the appointment upon the recommendation of the Secretary of four hundred and fifty applicants. The Prosident makes the appointment upon the recommendation of the Secretary of the Navy. Senator Martin will do all he can for his constituent, but a Northern or Western minister, with strong Republican influence behind him, will in all ikelihood be appointed. I understand there are only about thirty chaplains in the pays.

the navy.
FOR THE POSTOFFICE SITE. FOR THE POSTOFFICE SITE.

The money for the purchase of the Shafer property for the addition to the Richmond postoffice w.i. be available as soon as the United States Court at Richmond nakes, the, necessary order. The money for the property is appropriated in three bills. The sum of \$75,000 is provided for in the omnibus public building bill; \$100,000 is appropriated by the sundry civil bill, and \$27,350 by the general deficiency bill. Senator Martin expressed the deepest regret to-day at the news of the death of Captain Charles M. Blackford of Lynchburg.

the deepest regret to the variety and the death of Captain Charles M. Blackford, of Lynchburg,
"He was one of the best men and one of the ablest lawyers in Virginia," said Mr. Martin. "He was also one of my warmest personal friends."

Senator Martin said he hoped to be able to go to the funeral, which takes place to-morrow. Senator Daniel was not at the Capitol while the Senate was in open session for nine minutes after it convened and Senator Martin thought he had probably gone to attend the funeral.

MONUMENT TO THOMAS.

The Potomac Post, G. A. R., of this city, has espoused the movement to place a statue of Major-General George H. Thomas, of Virginia, in the rotunda of the Capitol. The movement originated in Texas some months ago. General Thomas was a native of Southampton county, where he has two sisters still living at the college of the more than the said was presented. where he has two sisters still living at the old homestead. The county presented the old homestead. The county presented him with a sword in recognition of his gallantry in the Mexican War. The sword, I think, is now in the Confederate Museum at Richmond. General Thomas, who held the rank of major when the war between the States began, did not resign his commission, and became known as one of the hardest fighters in the Union army. He died probably twenty years ago.

But did not give any details.

Robbery at Crystal.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MONTVALE, VA., March 11.—The store and postoffice two miles east, at Crystal, and kept by William Dooly, was entered through the front window by burglars a few days since. As the money, stamps, &c., had been moved to a safe place, the loss was small.

The distillery known as Pain's, two miles west, has been sold for \$6,000 to a Northern firm, who will manufacture yeast.

Soon to be Married.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., March 11.—Mrs. Ida Estelle Northington has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Susye Logan, to Mr. W. W. Bryan, which takes place Wednesday afternoon, March 18th, at 5 o'clock, at the Washington-Street M. E. Church.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Ice Officers Elected.

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RALLEIGH, N. C., March 11.—The North of the Carolina Ice Association met here to Capitol. The clerk of tile House of Capitol. The clerk of the House of Capitol. The clerk of the House of Capitol. The clerk of the H

BAR CLOSED,

There are no intoxicants sold in the Capitol. The clerk of the House of Representatives, in the absence of the Speaker, has ordered the bar closed, and to-day one cannot even purchase ginger ale in the House wing. Nor in the Senate wing, for that matter, for the bar there has been closed for several years. The closing of the House restaurant saloon is the result of a provision placed in the immigration bill by a member of the House as a loke, But the Senate took the loke seriously, and for the first time in many years the Capitol is dry, if one excepts the cheering refreshments kept in committed rooms.

ing retreshments rooms.
There is strong likelihood of the defeat of the Cuban reciprocity treaty. It is understood that Senator Gorman, the Democratic leader, is working hard to secure party unity against the treaty, and it is likely that he will succeed. If he does the treaty will fall.

W. E. H.

VOTE ON CANAL TREATY WILL BE HAD TUESDAY

(By Associated Press,)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March II.—Decided progress was made to-day toward cided progress was made to-day toward reaching an agreement for a vote on the Colombian Canal treaty, and when the Senate adjourned a few minutes before 4 o'clock there was a general understanding that to-morrow, in all probability, some hour next Tuesday would be definitely agreed upon as the time when a vote should be taken upon the treaty and all amendments.

hes so far shown any disposition to delay the final disposition of the treaty, so that all that was necessary was to secure Mir. Morgan's assent to the taking of a vote. The negotiations were begun early in the day, and after Senators Frys and Morgan had been closeted for some time the latter sought out Senator. Gorman and talked the situation ever with him. The result of these and other conferences was the announcement at the close of the day's seesion of the strong probability of a vote on Tuesday.

PERMISSION TO PRINT.

Senator Morgan exacted consent to the printing in the Congressional Record of the females which he has prepared, giving his best recollection of the speeches he has made in the exacutive sessions of the Senato on the treaty. These speeches are contained in the pampilets sent to the Senator when the sent to the Senators yesterday by Mr. Morgan. They have been read by a number of the Republican Senators, who say they find in them nothing objectionable, and that there is on reason why they should not be printed, except that they bear upon a treaty, which is always considered seriously executive. They generally, however, advise that permission be given to print in order to save time, which they now consider more important than the conservation of Senatorial eliquette.

Democratic Senators have practically agreed unanimously to tirge an amendment to the twenty-third article of the treaty, relieving it of all questions as to the right of the United States to control the canal, and they express confidence in obtaining some Republican votas for it. Many Senators also express the control the canal, and they express confidence in obtaining some Republican votas for it. Many Senators also express the control the canal, and they express the control the canal, and they express confidence in obtaining some Republican votas for it. Many Senators also express the control the canal, and they express the control the canal can are the retay will be ratified without modifica-

out of place.

The indications are, however, that the treaty will be ratified without modification in any particular.

GUIDAN TREMATY.

The agreement made to-day The agreement made to-day does not bear upon the Cuban treaty in any respect except that it opens the way for its early consideration in the Senate and the Committee on Foreign Relations will meet to-morrow in order to take it up with the view of reporting it to the Son

with the view of reporting it to the Senate.

The Democrats will make an effort to amend the Cuban treaty both in committee and in the Senate so as require action by the House, and they also threaten to antagonize it with the French reciprocity treaty which is quite objectionable to many Republican Senators. The indications, however, are that the Cuban agreement will soon be reported by the committee. That it will have smooth salling in the Senate is not quite so certain, for while four or five Senators are favorable to it and there is only one Republican Senator who has expressed his intention to vote against it, there are a number who are indifferent to its fate. It is doubtful if there will be a quorum in the Senate while its passage is uorum in the Senate while its passage is

quorum in the Senate while its passage is under way.

Senator Morgan continued his remarks in the Senate to-day in opposition to the canal treaty, but most of the time was given up to the reading of documents by the clerk at Mr. Morgan's request. The few remarks made by him related to the unsanitary conditions of the vicinity of Panama, and to the division of the moncy to be paid to Colombia by the United States.

were sent to committee. The understand-ing among the committee is that none of the reciprocity treaties before the com-mittee shall be ratified this session.

WANT TO ASSURE AMERICAN CONTROL

WASHINGTON, March 11 .- Democratic Senators are making an effort, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, to reach an agreement upon amendments to the Panama Canal treaty to be supported by them, and each one has been asked to give his views upon this point. So far substantial unanimity has been expressed in favor of a modification of article 23, so as to place the control of the canal

so as to place the control of the canal in American hands. There is general complaint among the Democrats that the provisions of that article precludes the possibility of protecting the canal by American arms in case the necessity for doing so should arise.

It is said, however, that no amendments will be offered by the Democrats as a party unless the support of all the Democratic Sneators can be assured in advance. While practically all of them are said how to be favorable to an amendment that will give the United States control of the canal, it is understood that many, especially among the Southern Senators, say that if this or other amendments shall be offered and rejected they will reserve the right to rejected they will reserve the right to vote for the treaty in the end.

DEBATE IN SENATE MAY BE LIMITED BY RULE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.-In open session of the Senate to-day Mr. Allison, of Iowa, offered a resolution authorizing the Committee on Rules to reexamine the rules of the Senate with the view of ascertaining what changes, if any, are necessary, and especially to make inquiry whether it is expedient to in any way limit debate in the Senate, and if so to what extent. The resolution further provides that the committee is authorized to sit during the recess of the Senate, and is directed to submit a report to the Senate of its conclusions as soon as practicable after the beginning of the session next December.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Audit and Control of the Continged Expenses of the Senate. Allison, of Iowa, offered a resolution au-

CUBAN SENATE HAS APPROVED RECIPROCITY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March II.—
Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister to the United States, to-night received a dispatch from his home government say

ing:
"The reciprocity treaty was approved
by the Senate by 16 votes to 5."
The treaty referred to is the Cuban reciprocity treaty with the United States.

SENDS REPLY TO BALTIMORE

Calvary Church, of This City, Will Not Release Rev. Weston Bruner.

should be taken upon the freaty and all amendments.

All statements to this effect were, however, accompanied by the announcement that there were yet some details to be arranged, leaving it impossible to conclude the arrangement before to-morrow. There is, however, no doubt in the minds of leading Senators that the vote will be taken on Tuesday.

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SPLENDID STORE FOR SIXTH STREET

Messrs, Hutzler to Make Extensive improvements to Broad St. Property.

"We want to make Sixth Street the center of the business section of the Broad Street neighborhood, and will build on Sixth Street as handsome a store as it is possible to erect.

store as it is possible to erect.

The quoted statement was made last night by Mr. Charles Hutzler, who, with his brother, has recently purchased forty-seven feet on Sixth. Mr. Hutzler was asked what were the plans for improvements to be made upon the property recently purchased on Grace Street and on Sixth. The Messrs, Hutzler own the mammoth store occupied by Miller & Rhoads, fronting on Broad Street. Their recent purchases einbrace the Davenport house which adjoins that of Major Randolph, and has equal frontage, and forty-sevent feet fronting on Sixth. Mr. Hutzler said that immediate steps would be taken towards the erection of an exceedingly handsome store, with frontage on Sixth, and russing back so as to connect with the Miller & Rhoads store if desired. Mr. Hutzler was asked if Miller & Rhoads would also have the new building. His reply was that they could if they wanted it, and preferences would certainly be given to them. He could not give out just yet the complete plans for improvements in this section. He did know them. They were not fermulated entirgly, in the first place, he said:

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place, he said: He was asked if the Miller & Rhoad He was asked it the Miller & Russian store, would be run through to Grace Street. His reply was that no plans had been decided on for improvements to the Grace Street property, but were under contemplation. Whatever was done would be in entire consonance, he said, with the present residential surroundings. He wished to emphasize this.

THREW UP THE SPONGE

Joe Gans Had Little Difficulty in Worst ing Steve Crosby.
(By Associated Press.)
HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 11.—Af-

ter an eleven-round fight to-night with Steve Crosby, of Louisville, Joe Gans. lightweight champion, successfully defended his title after doing most of the fighting and showing a clear manifest n every detail. The two men were weighed in at 134 pounds. Tommy Ryan, the middleweight champion, acted as referee, and "Honest" John Kelley as time-keep-

The fight was a Gans affair from the beginning, although there were times when Crosby showed in good form. The latter's hugging tactics not only saved him from early defeat, but brought out hisses from the spectators. In the eighth round Crosby was knocked through the ropes. He was repeatedly knocked down and when, in the eleventh round, Gins was punching the Louisville black all over the ring, the latter's seconds threw up the sponge and Referre Ryan threw up the sponge and Referee Ryan gave Gans the fight.

BILL OF EXCEPTIONS

Wabash Railway Counsel Allege Insuffi ciency of Answer to Injunction.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. LOUIS, MO., March 11.—In the United States District Court the Wabash Railway Company filed a bill of exceptions to the answer of the de-fendants in the injunction proceedings brought to prevent employes and others from calling a strike on its system. In its bill of exceptions the road claims in-sufficiency, in that correspondence and letters exchanged do not appear in the answer.

letters exchanged to not the asking answer.

There was also a motion filed asking that a rule be entered requesting the defendants to produce at the hearing of the motion to dissolve the injunction next Tuesday various letters referred to in the answer filed by the defendants, it being claimed that the contents of such letters should be known in order to have a full understanding of what was done and the purpose. and the purpose.

Southern Earnings.

Below are the estimated earnings of the Southern Rallway system for the first week in March, 1903: Southern Rallway Company, including St. Louis-Louisville lines: This Year. Last Year. Increase. \$790.160. \$651.001. \$139.168 Southern Rallway Company St Louis-\$790.169. \$790,169. \$101,001. \$103,100 Southern Rallway Company St. Louis-Louisville lines: Increase, \$69,292. \$66,145. \$13,147

Jim Crow Bill Falled.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., March 11.— In the House to-day, by a vote of fitty-five to seventy, the separate railroad coach for negroes bill falled of final pas-sage. It applied to all railroads and com-mon carriers. All the Republicans voted against the measure, as did several Dem-cerate.

NET EARNINGS OVER 7 MILLIONS

Thomas F. Jeffries Was Not Re-Elected to Directorate of A. M. T. Co.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 11.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Amerin Jersey City. The old board of directors were re-elected with one exception tors were re-elected with one exception, Charles N. Strot being chosen to succeed Thomas F. Jeffries, of Richmond, Va. After deducting all charges and expenses, the net earnings for the year were \$7,495.574.

The stockholders of the Consolidated Tobacco Company also held their annual meeting to-day. The old board of directors was re-elected. The report of the assistant treasurer showed total earnings of \$13,29,459.

The annual meeting of the Continental Tobacco Company was also held to-day, when the old board of directors was re-elected. The treasurer's report showed net earnings, after deducting all charges and expenses, of \$11,776,334.

APRIL 15TH

CONFEDERATE BAZAAR Remember the Date

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. H. W. MOESTA

AMUSEMENTS.

Expired Last Night from Congestion of the Lungs and Heart Fallure.

Mrs. Elenora Moesta, widow of Henry W. Moesta, died suddenly last night at 10:45 o'clock at her residence, No. 117 East Main Street, aged sixty-three years and one month. The immediate cause of her death was congestion of the lungs

her death was congestion of the lungs and heart failure.

Mrs. Moesta had been complaining for a year or more, but her death was unexpected, as only Tuesday she was able to be in her store.

Mrs. Moesta was exceedingly well known, she and her late husband, who died eleven years ago, having come here just about the close of the war. Boon after they began the confectionery business and for thirty-five years had been located on East Main Street.

Mrs. Moesta is survived by four children, all of this city. They are William Moesta, Ruddiph Moesta, Mrs. Dora Miller and Henry W. Moesta, Jr.

The deceased was a native of Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany, where a sister.

Darmstadt, Germany, where a sister, Mrs. Mohlbricht, still lives. She is also survived by two brothers, Peter Wilhelm, of Baltimore, and John Wilhelm, of Philadelphia. Mr. J. H. Nolde, of this city, is

a nephew.

Mrs. Moesta was a member of the German Evangelical Church at Sixth and Clay Streets. The arrangements for her funeral have not yet been made.

A. O. Miller.

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A. O. Miller, the well known and popular Broad Street barber, died at 2:25 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his rosidence, No. 812 West Clay Street.

Mr. Miller was in the forty-first year of his ago, He leaves his widow, one son, four daughters, two sisters-in-law-Mrs. Carrin Phillips, of Norfolk, and Mrs. H. T. Frick, of this city—and one brother-in-law, Ho was a member of the United Ancient Order of Druids, Monroe Grove, No. 1, and the Improved Order of Heptasophs, No. 162.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock this morning from St. Mary's German Cathodic Church. The interment will be made in St. Mary's Cemetery.

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Mrs. Mary Lyons died at 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning at the residence of her son, Mr. John T. Lyons, No. 693

South First Street. She was the widow of Thomas Lyons.

The averagements for the functal will The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Alexander J. McCown.

(Special to The Times-Dispatich.)
LEXINGTON, VA., March 11.—Alexander J. McCown died at his home here yesterday, at the age of eighty-three years. For several years he had been in delicate health. His death was due polyears. For several years he had been in delicate health. His death was due prit marily to asthma and heart trouble. Mr. McCown was born and lived all his life in Lexington. His father was Mr. Samule McCown, a Revolutionary soldier, who died at the age of ninety-five years. During the Civil War Mr. McCown belonged to the Home Guard. While visiting his son, Robert McD. McCown, who was one of General Stonewall Jackson's couriers, that great military chieftain died from his wound received at Chancellorsville, and Mr. McCown was detailed by Governor John Letcher to accompany General Jackson's body to Lexington for burial. Governor Letcher was also a native of Lexington, and Mr. McCown was well known to him. Mr. McCown was the oldest member of the Lexington Presbyterian Church in duration of membership, having been connected with the church for nearly sixty years.

Mr. McCown was a sadder and harness maker, and was held in high esteem by the community. His wife was Miss Elizabeth Claiborne, who died some years ago. Three children survive—Mrs. S. B. Fuller, Mrs. W. A. Baker and Miss Jennie McCown, all of Lexington. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Presbyterian Church and the interment will be made in the Lexington Cemetery.

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BLACKSTONE, VA., March II.—Robert
W. Tucker, a well konwn citizen of this
place, died at his home here about 4
o'clock this morning, after an limess of
only three days. Mr. Tucker was at his
business, being a member of the Horse
Exchange at this place, on Saturday in
apparent good health. He was taken that
night with congestion of the stomach,
and every effort of the physicians to relieve him proved fruitless.
The deceased leaves a wife, who was
Miss Hoy, of Petersburg, and five children. He was about forty-seven years
old.

The interment will take place in the cemetery at this place at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, VA., March II.—The body of Demis A. Shanahan, who died at St. Agnes' Hospital, Philadelphia, on Saturday, reached the city last night, and the funeral was held at II o'clock this morning from St. Francis Catholic Church. High Mass was held and celebrated by Rey, Father P. M. Rock, of Louisyille, Ky. Bishop Van de Vyver was present at the mass. Anterment was in Thornrose Cemetery. The pull-bearers were Messrs, J. M. McCue, W. P. Tams, J. M. Spotts, Michael Kivilghan, Martin 'Z Bergin and John J. Flavin.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HEATHISVILLE, VA., March 11.—Mrs.
Charles Kent died at her home, near
Lottsburg, Monday. She is survived by
a husband and several children. Her
remains will be interred in the Henderson's Church Cemetery to-day, Rev. 12.
F. Garper conducting the funeral service.

ACADEMY, TO-NIGHT. **FLORODORA**

AMUSEMENTS.

Prices: First floor, \$1.50; balcony, 50c. and \$1.00; gallery, 25c. SATURDAY Matinee and Night

THE FOUR COHANS 0-People in the Production-

Prices: First floor, \$1.00 and \$1.50; palcony, 76 and 50c.; gallery, 25 and 85c.

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ADMISSION 25c CHILDREN 15c.

IRISH TEA

Given by Ladies of Park Place M. E. Church at No. 1005 Floyd Avenue, Friday, Mch. 13th, 8 P. M. GOOD CAUSE TO HELP.

LECTURE-"TALK."

HON. C. CONWAY BAKER WILL DE-liver his famous lecture, subject, "TALK," at BROAD-STREET METHO-DIST CHURCH THURSDAY, March 12th, at 8 P. M., for the benefit of the Ladies' Ald Society. Ald Society.

An attractive Musical Programme has been arranged. Refreshments at close of

THE VALENTINE MUSEUM ELEVENTH AND CLAY STREETS. Open daily from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission, 25 cents. Free on Saturdays.

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University of Virginia. Eight years ago he left Charlottesville to take possession of the hotel at Blackrock Springs. He was twice married. His second wife, who survives him, was Miss Wood, of Albomarie. A sister, Mrs. W. T. McAllister, resides in Charlottesville.

FLED WITH HER CHILD

Lady Granville Gordon Did Not Obey Verdict of Court.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, March 11.—A sensational sequel has been furnished to the scandalous Gordon trial, which occupied the di-

ous Gordon trial, which occupied the divorce court for three weeks, by the flight of Lady Granville Gordon with the child, Clcely, for the possession of which the suit was brought.

In delivering his judgment yesterday, Sir Francis Jeune, the presiding judge, so scathingly commented on Lady Granville's conduct that it was easy to guess what the verdict would be long before the justice wound up with ordering the child to be delivered to its father.

Lady Granville left the court and went home. She has since disappeared, and Lord Granville declares he does not know her whereabouts.

Wonder is He Ever Lived.

(By Pacific Cable.)

HONOLULU, March 11.—Prince Albert Kakoltimoku Kunninkea is dead of consumption. The Prince was the last descendant of Kamehameha. The Great, and would some day have been King of Hawali, had the Kameahameha dynasty lived. Preparation for state funeral to occur on Sunday next is being made.

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(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
HEATHSVILLE, VA., March II.—W.
D. Scott and Miss Eva Oliver were
outerly married at the home of the
bride, at Millenbeck, Lancaster county,
to-day by Rev. A. D. Reynolds. Both of
the contracting parties are popular
young people of Lancaster.
Frederick Starr and Miss Abbie
marston were married to-day at her
home, in Lancaster county, by Rev. R.
E. Bentley. Both are well known in Lancaster.

Walthour Was Winner.

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(Ry Associated Press)

ATLANTA, (AA, March II.—In the monopole of the paced champlenship bloyde race tonight between Bobby Walthour, of Atlanta, and Harry Caldwell, of Manchester, N. H., Walthour won two straight flive-mile heats and the third was abundened. Walthour took the first heat by ten yards in 7:58 2-5, and the second by half a lap in 7:18.

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LYONS.—Dled, at the residence of her son, Mr. John T. Lyons, No. 603 South First Biret, Wednesday, March II, 1963, at 10:15 A. MI. MARY, relict of the late Thomas Lyons, Funeral from Sacred Heart Church FRIDAY MORNING, March 13th, at 10 o'clock, with a requiem mass.

MILLER.—Died, at his residence. No. 812
W. Clay Street at 2:25 P. M., March 10,
1993, A. O. MILLER, in the forty-first
year of his age, He leaves a devoted
wife, one son and four daughters to
Hourar hier loss.
His functi will take place from St.
Mary's Catholic Church at 10 oclock
THIS (Thursday) MORNING. Friend
and acquaintances invited to attend 12
terment at St. Mary's Caustery.

Hood's Pills